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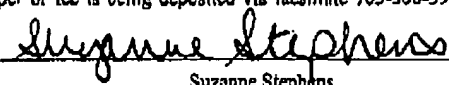
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In re Application of:
IRINA A. MARIN, et al

Serial No.: 10/661,897

Filed: 9/12/2003

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
CONTEMPORANEOUS UTILIZATION
OF HIGHER ORDER PROBE IN PRE-
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED January 7, 2005

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action dated January 7, 2005, ("the Office Action") for which the three-month date for response expires March 7, 2005. This response is therefore timely filed.

It is believed that no fee is due; however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason, the Assistant Commissioner is authorized to deduct said fees from Williams, Morgan & Amerson, P.C. Deposit Account No. 50-0786/2086.003400.

Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.